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## VIA ECF

The Honorable Paul A. Crotty United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007 5/17/2023 Pretrial Services is directed to return Mr. Mendez Bailon's passport to the Federal Defenders Office. SO ORDERED.

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RE: <u>United States v. Hector Mendez Bailon</u> 21 Cr. 209 (PAC)-2

Dear Judge Crotty:

I write to respectfully request the Court order that Pretrial Services return Mr. Mendez Bailon's passport to our office so that we may return it to his family. Pretrial requires an order when it still possesses the passport at the conclusion of the case. Mr. Mendez Bailon was sentenced to 30 months of imprisonment on October 7, 2021. Thank you for the Court's consideration.

Very Truly Yours,

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